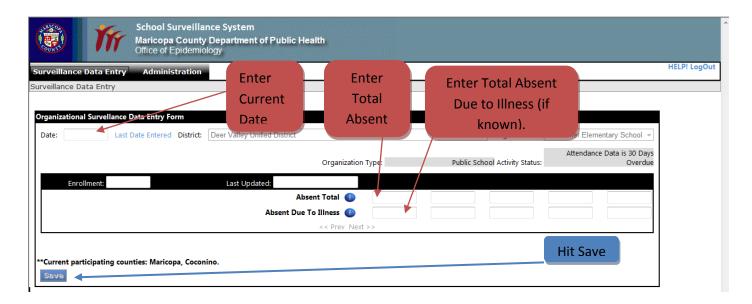


## School absences reflect health in the community

Your input is valuable. School absences are early indicators of community wide outbreaks. Thus, they help public health make decisions about disease control (flu, pertussis, chicken pox....), prevention measures, hospital preparedness and more.

**It's Easy!** All you need to do is go to a website each day and report two numbers – total absences and absences due to illness.

**DIRECTIONS:** Login to: <a href="http://www.maricopa.gov/SILISWeb/Security/Login.aspx">http://www.maricopa.gov/SILISWeb/Security/Login.aspx</a> **School Surveillance System** Maricopa County Department of Public Health Office of Epidemiology Select the County your school is in. School Surveillance Log On Select "Organization Data County: MARICOPA Entry" Role: Organization Data Entry Select the District your District: Deer Valley Unified District school is in. Organization: Greenbrier Elementary School Select the name of your Password: school. Log In Enter your password. (\*\*\*\*\*) & hit Log In.



What happens with the data you submit? At the end of each day, the data are collected and analyzed by the Maricopa County Department of Public Health, Office of Epidemiology.

If interested: A weekly influenza summary is posted on the county website at the link below:

http://www.maricopa.gov/publichealth/Services/EPI/Reports/influenza.aspx

## **Sign Up Today:**

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